

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 34—1928.

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H. A. BYATT,  
*Governor.*

15th December, 1928.

AN ORDINANCE to make such amendments of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1926, as are necessary to give effect to a certain resolution adopted by an Imperial Conference held in London in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

[15th December, 1928.]

WHEREAS at an Imperial Conference held in London in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-six, a resolution was adopted recommending that arrangements should be made between the different parts of the Empire whereby sums awarded under the law relating to workmen's compensation in one part of the Empire to beneficiaries resident or becoming resident in another part of the Empire may, at the request of the authority by which the award is made, be transferred to and administered by a competent authority in that part of the Empire in which such beneficiaries reside, and inviting the several Governments

of the Empire to take such steps by way of legislation or otherwise as each may consider necessary and appropriate for the purpose of promoting such arrangements :

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

Short title and construction.

(8-1926.)

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation (Transfer of Funds) Ordinance, 1928, and shall be construed as one with the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1926, hereinafter called the Principal Ordinance.

Interpretation.

2. For the purposes of this Ordinance "His Majesty's dominions" includes territories under His Majesty's protection and such, if any, of the territories in respect of which a mandate on behalf of the League of Nations has been accepted by His Majesty as His Majesty may by Order in Council direct shall be treated as if they were included in His Majesty's dominions for the purposes of the Workmen's Compensation (Transfer of Funds) Act, 1927, of the Imperial Parliament.

Amendment of Ordinance 8 of 1926 as to powers of making rules of court.

3. For the purpose of giving effect to the resolution referred to in the preamble above, the Principal Ordinance shall be amended by inserting the following section as section 34A:—

34A. Regulations under section 34 of this Ordinance may provide, in the event of any such arrangement as is mentioned in the resolution adopted by the Imperial Conference held in London in 1926 being made between Great Britain and any other part of His Majesty's dominions—

(a) for the transfer, in such manner as may be provided by the arrangement, to the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement is made of any money paid to the Commissioner under this

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Ordinance and regulations made thereunder, as applicable for the benefit of any person resident in or about to reside in the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement has been made;

(b) for the receipt and administration by the Commissioner of any money which under any such arrangement has been transmitted from the part of His Majesty's dominions with which the arrangement has been made as money applicable for the benefit of any person resident or about to reside in this Colony.

Passed in Council this seventh day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

E. F. AANENSEN,

*Acting Clerk of the Council.*

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